

TAFT URGES THE PROPOSED TREATY

PRESIDENT AT URBANA THIS
MORNING AND DISCUSSED
CANADIAN RECIPROCITY.

TALKS TO THE LEGISLATURE

Went to Springfield This Afternoon
Where He Will Be
Entertained.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Urbana, Ill., Feb. 11.—President Taft, after an all night run from Columbus, Ohio, arrived here this morning and started on his second day of speech-making in support of the proposed reciprocity with Canada.
Detaching at Urbana this morning, the President and his party proceeded by automobile to the state university, where he made a five minutes' address to the students.
The remainder of the day's program included a brief address at Millikan university, Decatur, and a trolley ride from Decatur to Springfield with a luncheon enroute.
The President's principal speech today was delivered before the Illinois state legislature at Springfield this afternoon. He will also speak at the Lincoln Day banquet in Springfield tonight.

At Springfield.
Springfield, Ill., Feb. 11.—President Taft arrived here this afternoon and was cordially received. At the joint meeting of the legislature he spoke in advocacy of reciprocity with Canada, pointing out its benefits and especially to farmers.

At Champaign this morning he talked on reciprocity to the students of the state university. He told them of the proposed agreement looking toward free trade with Canada and predicted that if approved there would be no departure from it in the lives of young men of today. The President made brief speeches at Decatur and Monticello enroute to the capital.

After arriving that the American farmer needs no protection against Canadian competition, because the costs of production are practically the same in both countries. President Taft, addressing the Illinois legislature this afternoon said in part:
"The criticism that the reciprocity agreement with Canada is a manufacturer's agreement, insofar as it is a suggestion that we were prompted by manufacturers to avoid reductions on any of their goods, is wholly unfounded. The truth is, as between Canada and ourselves, a reciprocity agreement of necessity relate more to agricultural products than to manufacture. Here we stand upon more of an equality. In other words, the great benefit of this treaty is the profit in mutual exchange that will come in respect to the agricultural products of business."

"The change in agriculture in the older states from the raising of wheat alone to diversified crops and the raising of cattle and hogs is what increased the return per acre of land and made the prices of the land so much higher. This suggestion that the opening of our markets to Canadian wheat and other cereals will reduce the price of land in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, and Iowa is refuted by every table of statistics that represents the comparative increase of land in those states under the influence of the opening of the wheat fields of the states further west."

"To let the wheat of the northwest come down to Minneapolis and Chicago will steady the price of wheat, prevent fluctuations, will make much more efficient speculation, and will furnish us greater insurance against the short crops and high prices. It will give to the United States much greater control of the wheat market than it has ever before had. It will enable its milling plants to turn Canadian wheat into flour and send abroad the finished product and it will stimulate the sale of manufacturers and other things that we have to sell in Canada."

"By the bringing over of live cattle, the farmer who has corn will have his raw material in abundance, and will fatten them for the Chicago market at a profit."

"The increase of our population and the reduction of our farm exports are going on so rapidly that unless a great increase in production is brought about within our borders we shall soon consume all that we raise and shall need a source of food supply like that of Canada right at our doors. We would be blind indeed, should we neglect these golden opportunities to add to the strength and vitality of our country by thus increasing our self-sufficiency."

"There are those conservative protectionists who hang back from an approval of this agreement on the ground that it is a departure from the principles of protection and is the opening wedge to let in free trade. My own view is that no step could be taken more in the interest of a reasonable policy of protection than the approval of this treaty."

"The very existence of the policy depends upon our abolition of the tariff, where it is not readily needed under the principles of the last republican platform. If we persist in restraining it in those times of high prices and gradually exhausting food supplies, and base our attention on protection principles, we shall raise an opposition that will know no moderation and will not cease radical economy changes until it has removed from the statute book the last traces of a protective tariff."

ASSASSINS FIRE ON REPUBLICAN LEADER

Five Shots, None of Which Take Effect, Fired at Le Roux, at Sabadelle.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Barcelona, Feb. 11.—Five shots were fired today at Alexander Le Roux, the republican leader at Sabadelle. None took effect. Three suspects were arrested by the police.

COMMITTEE MADE DECISION TODAY AS TO TREATY

By a Vote of Twelve to Seven Decide
to Support President's
Measure.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Washington, D. C., Feb. 11.—The Canadian reciprocity agreement was favorably reported by the House committee on Ways and Means by a vote of twelve to seven today.
The committee adopted an amendment proposed by Mann of Illinois providing that wood produced in Canada may be brought into this country free and products of wood, as specified in the bill, up to the valuation of four cents, may be brought in free.
Andrew Carnegie, in a letter to Senator Beveridge, urged early and favorable action by congress upon the Canadian reciprocity agreement.
The House joint resolution naming San Francisco as the place of the Panama exposition for 1915, passed the senate today without opposition.
Twenty-one young men from the ranks of the army and civil life who qualified at the recent military examinations, will be commissioned second lieutenants.
Included in the list are Frederick H. Palmer of Waukesha, Wis., Mason W. Gray of Michigan, and Ralph Bruch of Illinois.

DIME NOVEL FIEND PUT UNDER ARREST

Sheboygan Youth Taken in Charge by
Police After He Had Backed Them
Off With Huge Revolver.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Sheboygan, Wis., Feb. 11.—Frank Domerodowsky, 17, is today confined in the city jail, a much sadder and much wiser "dime novel desperado." When officers came in the patrol wagon yesterday to arrest the boy on charges preferred by his mother, he backed them into their conveyance at the end of a huge revolver and bade them be on their way. The officers, however, returned with reinforcements and made the arrest. The boy's mother, it is said, claims he is a veritable dime-novel fiend and had threatened the lives of herself and daughter.

ROOSEVELT WILL BE THE CHIEF SPEAKER

Former President Will Deliver Address
at Lincoln Banquet at Grand
Rapids, Mich., Tonight.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 11.—Theodore Roosevelt will be the chief speaker tonight at the Lincoln anniversary banquet. During the day Colonel Roosevelt was scheduled to make informal addresses before a Woman's Literary club, school children, and Spanish American War veterans.

THINK IT MOVE TO STOP MUCK RAKERS

Magazine Publishers Consider "Inter-
ests" Behind Talk of Advanced
Postal Rates Affecting
Magazines.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
New York, Feb. 11.—That the advance in the postal rates affecting magazines is being fostered by the "interests" as part of the campaign to secure control of the "muck-raking" magazines, was the statement of magazine publishers here today.

SENATE SELECTED 'FRISCO FOR FAIR

Bill to Hold Panama Canal Exposition
Passed Unanimously by the
Upper House Today.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Washington, D. C., Feb. 11.—San Francisco's exposition bill passed the senate this afternoon. The vote was unanimously in favor of holding the fair, celebrating the opening of the Panama Canal, at San Francisco.
The house committee on Ways and Means today decided by a vote of 12 to 7 to report the Canadian reciprocity amendment favorably.

SCIOTO CO. GRAND JURY STILL BUSY

Forty-one Indictments for Vote Sell-
ing Returned at Portsmouth,
Ohio, Today.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Portsmouth, O., Feb. 11.—The grand jury investigating the vote selling in Scioto county returned forty-one indictments today.

DEATH LIST FROM PLAGUE ENORMOUS

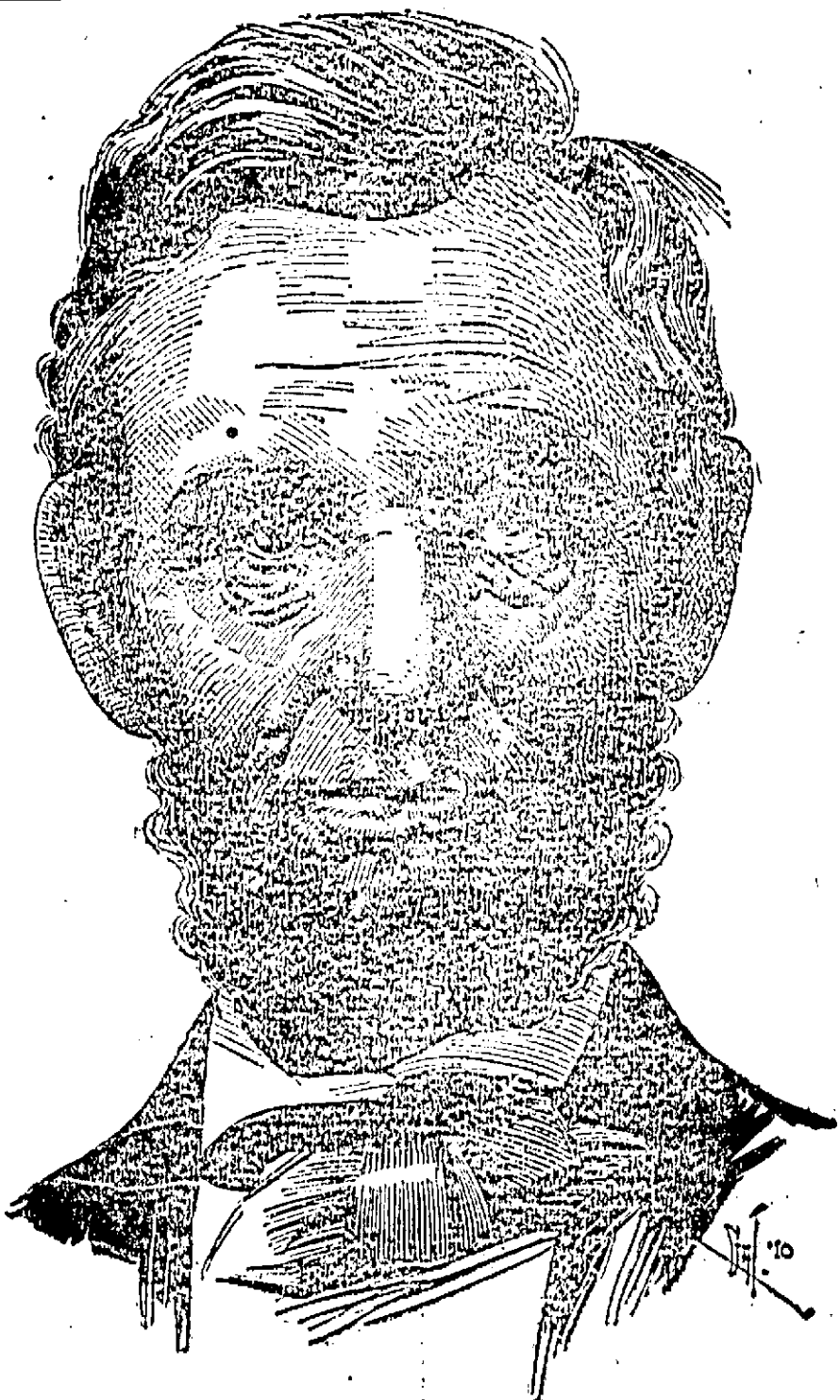
Average of Four Hundred Deaths
Daily Is Reported From One City
in Stricken District.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Harbin, Manchuria, Feb. 11.—At the Chinese city of Aschko, forty miles east of Harbin, there is an average of four hundred deaths daily from the plague.

MADE A RECORD FOR WIRELESS MESSAGE

Operator at San Francisco Picked Up
a Message From Vessel 4500
Miles Out at Sea.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 11.—A world's record was made today when a local wireless operator picked up a message and talked with the steamer Corea, 4500 miles at sea.



ABRAHAM LINCOLN—BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY FEB. 12.

HORSE PROTECTION ANNA'S LATEST FAD

Princess de Sagan, Nee Anna Gould,
Will Spend Thousands For Pre-
vention of Cruelty To Animals.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Paris, Feb. 11.—The Princess de Sagan, formerly Countess de Castellane, nee Gould, struck by the extreme cruelty by which Paris cab horses are treated, will devote considerable of her time and money towards their protection.
She is quite serious in her determination to lessen, at least, the suffering among the badly beaten animals which more often than not go foodless for many hours.
A League for the Protection of Horses has been formed in France. The Princess de Sagan it is said will spend some thousands of dollars annually through this organization. Among the others in the league are Edmond Houtand and wife, Pierre-Louis, Henry Houtand, Tristan Bernard, Jean Risphe, Henry Lavandou, Saint-Saens, Maurice Hares, Premier Briand, ex-Premier Clemenceau, Jules Claretie and the Prince and Princess Murat.

WOMAN SMUGGLER IN JAIL, RESTS EASY

First Female Smuggler to Be Jailed
Recovers From Hysteria
Brought on by Arrest.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
New York, Feb. 11.—Mrs. Roberta Meigues of Corwin Hill, who enjoys the distinction of being the first woman smuggler ever sent to jail for that crime, slept lightly in her cell today fully recovered for her hysterics.

MARKET OPENS WITH LIVELY TONE TODAY

In Spite Of Double Holiday There
Was Much Animation At Start—
Canadian Pacific A Feature.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
New York, Feb. 11.—The stock market today opened with unexpected animation considering the tendency of the double holiday. The principle feature of strength was Canadian Pacific, which opened up at one and a quarter and made further advance of one half. After the opening transactions, the market became quiet, although the tone remained steady.

HUNT FOR ROBBERS OF GRAVE IN VAIN

Detectives Fall To Find Clues To
Desecrators Of The Graves Of
The Scott Family.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Erie, Pa., Feb. 11.—Despite the promise of detectives, who have been investigating the desecration of the Scott graves, that the men responsible for the crime would be caught, the officers admit today that they have no substantial clue. All clues have proven fruitless thus far.

RAILWAY INSPECTOR NOW AT SHEBOYGAN

R. H. Harris Inspector Of Wisconsin
Line Investigating Details Of
Street Car Accident.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Sheboygan, Feb. 11.—R. H. Harris, chief railway inspector of the Wisconsin lines is today investigating the details of the street car accident in which three women were killed. The coroner's jury will meet again this afternoon and will continue in session Monday. Funeral services of Miss Maher and Miss Ann Ouwertkerk, two of the victims were held this afternoon at the Episcopal church at Sheboygan Falls.

DECIDED DROP IN EGG PRICE TODAY

Big Tumble For Price of Fresh Eggs—
Shipment From the West
Very Heavy.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
New York, Feb. 11.—The price of eggs went tumbling today, the wholesale figure being 19 1/2 cents a dozen, compared with 35 cents last month, and 26 cents a year ago. The receipts of eggs from the west this week was 72,000 cases compared with ordinary week's shipments of forty thousand cases at this time of the year.

KAISER VICTIM OF OLD EAR TROUBLE

Illness Thought Due to Cold Proves
Recurrence of Trouble of
Long Standing.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Berlin, Feb. 11.—The Kaiser's reported cold is really a recurrence of his old ear trouble it was authentically stated today by prominent physicians.

TWO KILLED WHEN SHED ROOF FELL

Deaths and Injured Result of Caving-
In of Brick Shed at Blue Island
Near Chicago Today.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Chicago, Feb. 11.—Two men were crushed to death and six others injured, two perhaps fatally today, when the roof of a brick shed in Blue Island fell.

MAY DELIVER MAIL WITH AN AIRSHIP

Successful Tests Made In France Of
Aeroplane For Use In Mail Service
In French Colonies.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Paris, France, Feb. 11.—In the presence of the French Minister of Colonies, Aviator LeGall has just completed a series of test flights in an aeroplane intended for the French postal service in the colonies. A monoplane was used and the tests were all successful. Though this particular machine is intended for mail, machine-gunner others will be built for other lands.

NEW BILLS ALL IN BY NEXT TUESDAY

Scheme Of Handling New Bills Proves
A Good One—Large Number Of
Liquor Measures.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Madison, Wis., Feb. 11.—The real business of the legislative session will begin after the last day of new bills, Tuesday. So many new measures have been offered the past week that no attempt has been made to look all of them over, owing to the new method of receiving them and bringing them back for formal ratification after they have been through the hands of the revision clerks. The effects of this change will be seen, however, later in the session if not now, for this scheme insures correct drafting in accordance with the statutes and makes less trouble for the various committees, which can therefore go directly into the merits of all measures.
A large number of bills relating to the liquor problem are due before Tuesday's session has been adjourned. Most of these have been drawn by persons connected with the Anti-Saloon league, although representatives of the brewers and retail liquor dealers also have a number to offer through members who are noted for their beliefs in the doctrine of "personal liberty."

INVESTIGATING THE DEATH OF AGED MAN

Coroners Jury To Look Into Killing
Of William Hulse By Passen-
ger Train.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Waukesha, Feb. 11.—A coroner's jury is today investigating the death of Wm. Hulse, aged 65, who, according to witnesses was struck and instantly killed by a Milwaukee road train here yesterday evening while walking along the track.

BIG BOWLING TOURNEY TO OPEN IN ST. PAUL TONIGHT

Tournament Under Auspices of Inter-
national Association Will Com-
mence Tonight.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 11.—With some of the best bowlers in America entered, the annual tournament of the International Bowling association opens in this city tonight and will continue until February 22. The entry list is the largest in the history of the association's tournaments. Not only is this immediate section represented by many devotees of the game, but from Illinois, Ohio, Iowa, Nebraska, Manitoba and elsewhere many entries have been received.

NORTHEAST WISCONSIN TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION SESSION CLOSED AT OSHKOSH TODAY

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Oshkosh, Wis., Feb. 11.—At the closing session of the Northeast Wisconsin Teachers' association here today, officers were elected as follows: President, E. M. Heeman, of Neenah; Vice-President, C. O. Marsh, Antigo; Secretary, Miss Nellie Jones, Oshkosh; Treasurer, L. H. Milen, Wausau. An interesting feature of the convention was the art exhibit at the Oshkosh high school showing the works of the public schools.

FIRST USE OF THE "BIRD MEN" IN TIME OF WAR AT JUAREZ

Sensational Flight of Hamilton Over
Mexican Border and Into the
Insurrection District.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
El Paso, Tex., Feb. 11.—Despite a warning that he might be fired on by Mexican troops and on a pledge to the American officers that he would not disclose the information he might acquire, Charles K. Hamilton yesterday flew across the border into Mexico and made the first aeroplane reconnaissance ever attempted in time of war. After circling over the defenses of Juarez he returned to the American side of the river. When he returned Hamilton declared, "There seems to be quite an army in Juarez."

The first news of the whereabouts of Gen. Navarro was received from him today at San Jose, 75 miles from Juarez. Navarro has 1500 troops slowly fighting his way on his way toward Juarez.

Captures City.
Mexico, Feb. 11.—General Berthold and his band of insurgents recaptured Mexicali today. The Mexican officials hurriedly crossed over to the American side. Gen. Berthold later crossed the American line and held a conference with Captain Hubbard of United States troops stationed just across the border in Calexico county.

ACCIDENT AFFECTS MOTORMAN'S MIND

Man in Charge of ill-fated Car at She-
boygan Is Delirious and May
Attempt Suicide.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Sheboygan, Feb. 11.—Geo. Thelme, motorman of the street car on the Sheboygan street railway which plunged into the Sheboygan river Thursday, carrying two women and a little girl to their death, is in a serious condition. He is delirious and it is feared may attempt his life. Thelme has had the misfortune to have two serious accidents. A year ago his car ran over and cut in twain the body of a little girl.

SPECULATION AS TO GOVERNOR'S CHOICE

Milwaukee People Wondering Who
Will Lead Grand March With
Executive At Marquette Prom.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Milwaukee, Feb. 11.—Local social circles are alive today in speculation as to who will be the lady partner of Gov. McElroy at the coming Junior prom at Marquette University. The governor has accepted the invitation to attend and he will probably lead the grand march.

BILL TO CHECK THE SPREAD OF DISEASE

Superior Senator Would Make Strin-
gent Rules Regarding Communi-
cable Diseases In Schools.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Madison, Wis., Feb. 11.—Attendance at the school of any children afflicted with a dangerous communicable disease, or children exposed to such disease, will be prohibited under a bill offered in the senate yesterday by Senator Victor Linley of Superior. The bill is so drawn that the objections of persons who hold such a law to be unduly restrictive are expected to be absent. The bill, which is sponsored by the state board of health, is framed to eliminate the elements of danger of the spread of communicable disease. Neglect or refusal of principal or teacher to comply with the act shall be sufficient cause for dismissal by the school board.

The bill provides that the health officer shall notify the principal or teacher of all families where the disease exists and the exclusion from school attendance of all such persons until permitted to return by the health officer. The principal shall also notify the health officer of any absence from school on account of sickness, who shall then investigate such cases to determine whether or not a dangerous communicable disease is present in the family. School houses also must be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected after the outbreak in the school of communicable disease, and all school houses shall be put through the same process before the opening of each school term.

AN OLD RESIDENT OF NEENAH DIES SUDDENLY LAST EVENING

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Neenah, Wis., Feb. 11.—Returning from a social gathering at the home of a friend last night, Haskell Conner, an old resident of Winnebago county, died suddenly. He was 71 years old, prominent in business interests in Neenah, Wisconsin and was at the time of his death president of the Appleton Pickle Preserving company and the Twin City Building and Loan association of Neenah-Menasha. He was once state commander of the G. A. R.

BARON ROTHSCHILD, HIGH IN AUSTRIAN FINANCIAL CIRCLES, DIES IN VIENNA

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Vienna, Feb. 11.—Baron Albert Rothschild, head of the Austrian branch of the famous family of bankers, died today of heart disease.

The baron was one of the wealthiest men in Austria. He was the father of Oscar Rothschild, who became engaged to Miss Olga Nenni, daughter of a Chicago physician and committed suicide when his father refused consent to the marriage.

ARCHBISHOP DIES THIS AFTERNOON AFTER ILLNESS OF MANY WEEKS

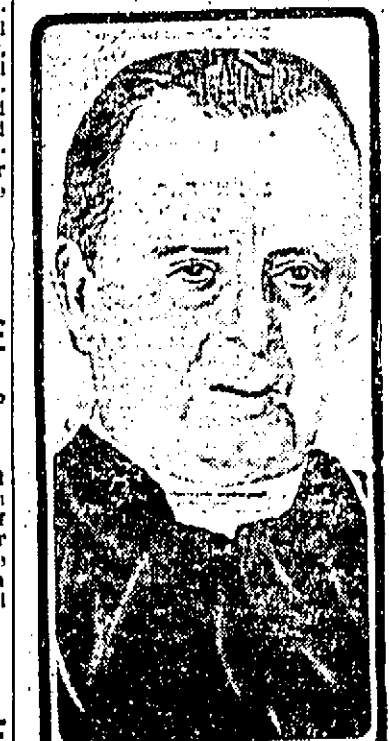
Noted Catholic Divine, Archbishop
Ryan, Passed Away Late This
Afternoon in Philadelphia.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 11.—Archbishop Ryan died at 4:08 this afternoon, having fallen rapidly during the day.

Bishop Falling.
Philadelphia, Feb. 11.—Archbishop Ryan was seized with another sinking spell shortly before noon today and was reported to be in a critical condition. Priests were called to the bedside.

Archbishop Patrick John Ryan was born at Thurles, County Tipperary, Ireland, Feb. 20, 1831. His family was distinguished in Irish history, being descended from the O'Ryanas, Princes of Irdone. His earliest schooling was under the care of the Christian brothers of the Naughton school in Dublin. Among all the plaudits that followed his career few pleased him more than the first tribute to his boyish eloquence paid by the famous Daniel O'Connell, the Irish liberator when the latter visited the school, and Ryan, then but 12 years of age, was chosen to make him a speech.

"That lad's tongue will make him famous one of these days," the liberator said. It was not many years before the prophecy came true. In 1847 Ryan entered the seminary at Carlow. He was graduated when 21 years old and came to this country with the Rev. Patrick Feehan, to take up his work in St. Pauls. Since he could not yet be ordained for the priesthood, he entered the seminary



THE LATE ARCHBISHOP RYAN OF PHILADELPHIA.

of Carondelet as a professor. Leading citizens of St. Louis and the surrounding country went to hear the young preacher whose eloquence, literary taste and facility for composition were attracting wide notice.

As a member of the faculty he was allowed to preach—an unusual privilege for a deacon.

In September, 1863, Ryan entered twenty years service as a missionary. He worked as assistant in the cathedral of St. Louis and as attending priest in the Gratiot prison.

In 1868, Father Ryan was chosen to accompany Archbishop Kendrick on a tour to Europe, during which Pope Pius IX. appointed him to preach the English Lenten sermons in the Catholic capital.

When the failing health of Archbishop Kendrick demanded a coadjutor's assistance, Ryan was appointed to that position in 1873. In Jan. 1884, he was appointed Archbishop of Baltimore and on Aug. 18 of the same year Archbishop of Philadelphia. He was formerly installed Aug. 30, 1884. Ryan's administration of the archdiocese was a brilliant success from the day of his installation. His wonderful personal magnetism, his sincerity and his strength of character won him the respect and affection of Philadelphians generally, regardless of creed.

FREAR CERTIFIED A RESOLUTION TO CONGRESS TODAY

Protest of Legislature Against Re-
moval Of Pension Agency Sent
To National Legislative Body.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Madison, Feb. 11.—Secretary of State Frear today certified to the U. S. Congress at Washington the resolution adopted by the legislature protesting against the removal of Wisconsin's state pension agency to Washington.
The state railway commission today issued an order fixing the value of the property of the Lake Geneva Water and Light company at \$35,500. The city wished to buy the property and asked for a fixed valuation.
Secretary of State Frear was today requested by L. D. Hurbit and other taxpayers of Crawford county to declare vacancy in the office of county judge, now held by Judge A. H. Long. The taxpayers contended that Judge Long's election as a member of the legislature last fall locally precluded his serving both offices. The taxpayers have retained Attorney John M. Olin, Madison, and declare if action is not taken by the secretary of state they will carry the matter into the courts.

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DELIGHTFUL SOCIAL EVENT AT EDGERTON

Twenty-fifth Annual Benefit Ball of Edgerton Fire Department Was Held Last Evening.
(Special to the Gazette.)
Edgerton, Feb. 11.—The twenty-fifth annual benefit ball of the Edgerton fire department was held last night in Academy hall and proved one of the most successful functions held here for many years. For one hour previous to the dance the Knox and Hatch orchestras of Janesville rendered a musical program which was enjoyed by a large and appreciative audience. Three hundred tickets at \$1.70 per number were sold, making it the largest sale in the history of the department. Landlord, Outing, of the Carlton hotel provided the midnight supper and it was an excellent spread.

Fractured Limb.
W. J. Henderson, while engaged in cutting down a tree in the town of Edgerton, got in contact with a falling tree in such a manner that resulted in fracturing one of his limbs. Mrs. McChesney and Cleary of this place and Dr. Munn of Janesville reduced the fracture.

Local News.
The Federation of Women's Clubs are making preparations for a coming opera to be produced in the near future. The cast has been given out and rehearsals commenced.

O. R. Pomeroy of Oshkosh, tobacco dealer, is in this market looking after the weed.

Mrs. Emma Herrick returned yesterday from Janesville where she submitted to an operation several weeks ago. She is improving nicely.

FIND INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT NAVY

Special Board of Inquiry Finds U. S. Warships Have No More Accidents Than Those of Other Nations.

(By United Press.)
Washington, Feb. 11.—Are there more accidents in the United States navy than in any other navy? Are the risks greater in service aboard the modern dreadnaught than in machinery plants of an equal size on shore?

These two questions have been placed before naval officers so persistently of late that they are determined to prove to the public the reliability and safety of battleship management by American naval officers. The criticisms against the frequency of accidents in Uncle Sam's navy come from Congress that demand considerable explanation about the dreadnaught Delaware in which nine men lost their lives. Representative Howell, the expert of the House on naval matters, and formerly a United States naval constructor, said that the frequency of these accidents was due to the system prevailing in the American navy of requiring officers to do double duty, fighting as well as engineering, which prevented them from becoming expert in engineering or battleship management.

Concerning the accidents due to gun explosions, Sir Hiram Maxim, an international authority upon explosives, stated that the fault should be laid upon the kind of powder used in the navy.

The navy is fighting against such accusations with all its might and main. At the request of Secretary Meyer, the bureau of ordinance made an exhaustive study of the charges of Sir Hiram Maxim and submitted a report denying their truth. The bureau laid the blame upon the types of guns, and which, they say, is now being evolved and will soon disappear.

A special board of inquiry has been appointed to probe the question of certain gun explosions and ordinance accidents. Upon every accident of a serious nature the navy department is appointing a board of examination to make an exhaustive report.

The naval officers defend themselves by saying that there are no more accidents in the United States navy than in any other but that there is no navy in the world that permits such wide publicity to be given every disaster. They point out that the death of a few men in some factory ashore is purely a matter of local interest commented upon only in the press of that neighborhood whereas the national character of the navy causes the story of every accident aboard ship to be heralded in every corner of the country. Other nations suppress the news of such accidents.

DOINGS AT CAPITAL DURING NEXT WEEK

Proceedings of Congress Will Attract Much Public Attention—Other Happenings Scheduled.
(Special to the Gazette.)
Washington, D. C., Feb. 11.—The proceedings of Congress, what it does or fails to do during the coming week, will naturally attract much public attention. The session will end three weeks from today. Apparently the president's program is little nearer enactment than it was on the first Monday in December, when the session began. If anything is to be done in regard to the great questions demanding attention, it is obvious that it must be done quickly.

President Taft has accepted an invitation to attend the annual dinner of the Golden Club at the New Willard Hotel Saturday evening. Justice Hughes will go to New York on the same date to be the guest of honor at the annual dinner of the New York County Lawyers' Association. Secretary Nagel of the Department of Commerce and Labor has several engagements to speak during the week, in Boston, Akron and New York City.

Eric Gen. George B. Davis, who has been Judge advocate general of the army for the past ten years, will be placed on the retired list Tuesday on account of age. His retirement will strike from the active list one of the few surviving officers of the civil war. He will be succeeded by Judge Advocate General by Col. Elmer H. Crowder, the most senior officer of the corps. Col. Crowder is a native of Missouri and was graduated from West point in 1881.

The torpedo boat Monaghan will be launched at Newport News Saturday. Miss Ellen Monaghan of Spokane, Wash., will christen the vessel. She is a sister of the late Ensign John H. Monaghan, in whose honor the new vessel will be named. Ensign Monaghan was killed in the Samoan troubles of 1899.

Branches of the National American Woman Suffrage Association throughout the country will join Wednesday in paying honor to the memory of their famous leader, Susan B. Anthony, on the anniversary of her birth. In connection with the celebration an endeavor will be made to raise a memorial fund of \$150,000 to carry on the fight for equal suffrage.

The proceedings of the British Parliament promise to furnish the most interesting news from abroad, while nearer at home will be the progress of events in connection with the insurance in Mexico and also the troubles in Honduras.

The Hague Court of Arbitration is to assemble Tuesday for the consideration of a case that differs considerably from any other that has been brought before the international tribunal. This is the case of Savarkar, the Indian student, whom the courts in Bombay have sentenced to transportation for life on a charge of sedition. Savarkar was arrested in London a year ago and was extradited to India for trial. At Marseilles he effected his escape, but was captured by a French gendarme and turned over to the British authorities under the belief he was a common thief. When the true facts came to light an international question arose as to the legality of the surrender of the fugitive. It is this question that the Hague court is called upon to settle. In the meantime the sentence of Savarkar is held in abeyance.

A Pan-American commercial conference now in progress and comprehensive than any trade gathering ever assembled in the national capital, will meet in Washington Monday, under the auspices of the Pan-American Union, formerly known as the Bureau of American Republics. The purpose is to arouse interest in South and Central American trade possibilities with special reference to the opening of the Panama Canal. President Taft will deliver the opening address Monday afternoon.

MAKE THE BEST OF IT.

A merry heart, a merry laugh,
A fact with lots of fun in it,
A merry tongue with merry chat,
And glee with lots of fun in it!

If trouble comes, and trouble will,
When others make a guest of it,
Keep on a smiling face and still
Strive to make the best of it.

And if the worst comes to the worst,
And life has no more zest in it,
Well, there are fewer clouds to burst,
So why not make the best of it?

Then learn to leave behind you care,
A foot but walks ahead of it,
Don't be a victim to despair,
But always make the best of it!

—La Touche Hancock in New York Sun.

The Brazen Culprit.
An eastern man was charged with stealing a Christmas kiss without mitre sanction and asked the judge if he couldn't testify in his own behalf.

"Go ahead," said his honor.
"Well, all I have to say is," remarked the brazen culprit, "that no matter what you fine me the kiss wasn't worth it!"
Whereupon the plaintiff fainting and the judge said ten days.

How He Felt.
Miss Gusher (to neoplane passenger)—It must have been splendid riding around up there. Didn't you feel as though you owned all the world beneath you?

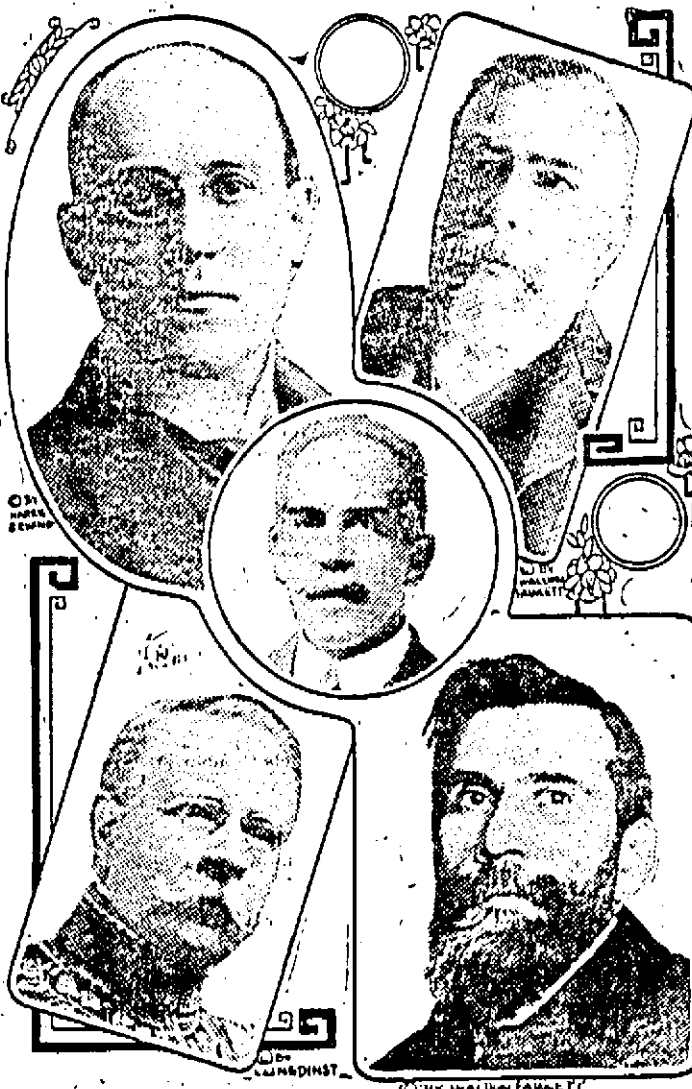
Timid Passenger—Well, I certainly had an idea that I was a great deal better off.

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Court St. Bridge.



Upper left, Hon. John R. Barrett, director of the Pan-American union, under whose auspices the conference is to be held. Upper right, Senor Portola, minister of Argentina to the United States. Dr. Francisco Carrera y. Justiz, minister of the Republic of Cuba to the United States. Don Ambal Diaz, new Chilean minister to the United States, recently arrived.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 11 in the history of the capital has no much interest as the Panama conference, of what should be done to get ready for greater exchange of trade through that waterway and to gain practical advantages of their commerce from the day it is opened.

Already more than four hundred delegates have accepted invitations to attend, and it is expected that the number will reach the six hundred mark.

The list of acceptances to date names every state and territory of the Union being represented, in addition to the twenty Latin-American Governments, which are to participate in the conference. The gathering will be the largest and most comprehensive to ever assembled in Washington to discuss commercial conditions.

Among the delegates will be diplomatic representatives of the United States and the twenty Latin American countries, consular representatives, officials of commerce, heads of commercial firms, commercial experts and individuals who are interested generally in the trade relations existing between this country and the republics lying to the south.

With this attendance of delegates who are particularly qualified to discuss commercial matters, it has been decided to eliminate formal speeches and substitute informal discussions, to the end that every one may participate in the proceedings. In this way much time will be saved and it is believed that a wealth of information will be secured by delegates informally talking and answering questions about trade conditions in any section in which they may be interested.

The opening of the conference at 3:15 o'clock, Monday afternoon, February 13, will constitute the only exception to the rule to dispense with formal speeches.

President Taft will open the conference with his address. There will be other speakers, including Secretary Knox, Senator Root, Champ Clark, President Carrillo of the United States Steel corporation and Latin American diplomatic representatives.

The opening of the conference will serve to bring together the most distinguished gathering of governmental officials that probably ever assembled at a meeting of commercial interests, and, for this reason, it is expected that the majority of delegates will be on hand for the first session.

One of the novel features of the conference will be the consideration, from

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POLITICIANS HAVE CAUSE FOR FEARS

Announcement in Danville That In-
vestigation Of Graft Has Only
Begun Sets Giddy Ones
A Tremble.
[BY UNITED PRESS.]

Danville, Ill., Feb. 11.—Additional
fear was struck into the hearts of
Danville and Vermillion county politi-
cians today when a grand juror
made the open declaration that the
work had just begun. "The only arrest
yet on indictments returned yesterday
was that of Hardy Whitlock, ex-county
treasurer, who was taken into cus-
tody at Detroit last night.

At a meeting of the Janesville Team
Owners' association held Wednesday
evening, Feb. 8, 1911, the scale of
wages taking effect April 1, 1911, will
be \$5.00 per day; Saturdays nine
hours with full pay.
C. E. CURTIS,
CHAS. WARD,
WILLIAM HUGHES,
Committee.

INTERURBAN RATE CASE SCHEDULED

CASE OF OTTO SCHICKER AGAINST
ROCKFORD AND INTERURBAN
COMPANY WILL BE HEARD.

BEFORE STATE COMMISSION

On Monday Morning, February 13, at
Madison—Discrimination in
Charge of Petitioner.

Unusual interest is manifested in
the case of Otto Schicker, petitioner,
against the Rockford and Interurban
Railway company, respondent, which
will be heard before the state railroad
commission at Madison on Monday
morning, Feb. 13, at ten o'clock.
The charge brought by the petitioner
is that the rate of ten cents charged by
the Interurban company for pas-
sage from any place within the city
of Janesville to the point on its line
near the yards of the Northwestern
road, known as South Janesville, is
exorbitant and unjustly discrimina-
tory. And it is also charged against
the company that a rate of five cents
for one continuous passage from any
point on the line of the company
within the city of Beloit to the point
on its line outside the limits of the
latter city known as the Beloit Coun-
try club, is a discrimination in favor
of the citizens of Beloit.

In question are about equal distances
outside the city limits of Beloit and
Janesville and it is held by the com-
plainant that like fares should be
charged in both cases.
This case was filed with the railroad
commission the latter part of Decem-
ber, 1910, by Otto Schicker. It is his
allegation that these men are entitled
to as low a rate as the people of Beloit
are for a like distance and that they
are in need of the same, as much in-
convenience is oftentimes experi-
enced on account of the exorbitant
rate. It is further argued that the
people of Janesville would be bol-
tered if a charge was placed within
the limits of the Northwestern employ-
ees to come to the city instead of being
forced to stay at the hotel outside the
city limits. It is also stated that the
Northwestern Ry. company would not
have placed the bank car accommoda-
tions at the disposal of its employees
at the yards, by which 75 to 80 men
are transported to and from the yard
daily, if the rate over the Interurban
had not been exorbitant.

The respondent in the action admits
the facts in the case as presented by
the petitioner, but claims that their
rate to the Janesville yards is not dis-
criminatory as compared with the fare
charged from the city of Beloit to the
Country club, for the reason that the
Interurban company does twice the
amount of business over their line out
of Beloit, which is a somewhat larger
city than Janesville.

It is further alleged that within the
last three years a large number of
residences have been built along the
line of the company north of the city
of Beloit, which together with the
Country club traffic makes a more con-
siderable business than over the same
distance out of Janesville. For these
reasons the respondent in the case
will ask for a dismissal of the pro-
ceedings.

At the hearing on Monday, Attorney
T. S. Nolan will appear for the de-
fendant company and Attorney H. L.
Maxfield will appear for the petitioner
in the case of Otto Schicker, who will
be the chief complaining witness.
Employees of the Interurban and others
may be called to testify before the
commission.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

With the federals strengthening
their defenses across the river at
Janesville, twelve hundred revolutionists
have formed a semi-circle about the
town. The situation presents the ap-
pearance of a siege.

Presbyterian church tomorrow even-
ing. John of Aze with the stereopticon.
A good musical program.
Next regular meeting of Oriental
 lodge No. 22, K. of P. will be held
Monday evening, February 13, work
in the third rank.

John of Aze with the stereopticon.
Presbyterian church, Sunday evening.
A good musical program.
O. E. S. dance Feb. 21st. Music by
Knoff & Hatch orchestra. All Masons
and those holding former invitations
invited to attend.

All members of the E. R. A. and
those holding invitations to the Valon-
the dancing party at Assembly hall
Feb. 14th, are earnestly requested to
be present. Music by Knoff & Hatch.
Florence Camp No. 368, M. W. of A.,
will meet on next Monday evening,
at which time three candidates will be
initiated and sixteen delegates elected
to attend the county convention to be
held at Evansville in April.

The Francis Murphy League will
hold an open meeting Sunday at 2 p.
m. There will be an address given
by A. E. Matheson. A special pro-
gram will be prepared for the occasion.
Ladies and gentlemen are cordially in-
vited.

JOHNSON AND SMITH WON THE BILLIARD CONTESTS

Games in Three Cushion Tournament
Were Played Last Night, Theurer
and E. Baumann Being Losers.
H. S. Johnson defeated G. H. Theurer
35 to 19 and E. J. Smith won from
E. Baumann, 25 to 15 in last evening's
games in the three cushion billiard
tournament at the Leffingwell &
& Hockett billiard hall. The Johnson-
Theurer contest lasted 103 innings,
while Smith defeated Baumann in 80.
Three points was the highest run
made.

Mean Suggestion.

Wives frequently talk of the glided
cages in which they live, but we notice
they look frequently at the little bone
and bird seed with which their cages
are provided before leaving them.—
Boston Globe.

To the kind friends and neighbors
who have helped and sympathized
came to us in our bereavement, for the
beautiful flowers, to the singers, also
to the W. R. C. for flowers, we extend
to all our heartfelt thanks.
STEPHEN WELLS AND SONS,
MRS. SARAH GIBBS,
E. T. WOOD.

REGULAR MEETING OF TWILIGHT CLUB

Will Be Held Tuesday Evening With
Dinner and Program on Topic
of Literature.

Members of the Twilight club will
gather at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium
Tuesday evening for their regular
monthly dinner which will be followed
by the program. The latter promises
to be exceptionally interesting and
will be something different from the
former topics of the year which have
been of a more serious nature, con-
nected with the sphere of current
events. Tuesday evening will be the
night with literature and the leader,
Rev. T. D. Williams, has secured some
good speakers. The program will be:
"Recent Elections to the Hall of
Fame".....H. C. Buell
"Mark Twain".....Wm. Vlyman
"Count Leo Tolstol".....
President Daland of Milton College
Selections by Male Quartet.

WILL HEAR CASE ON APRIL FOOL'S DAY

Assault and Battery Action Of Mrs.
Mary Henderson Against Ira
Bryant Adjourned
Today.

Adjournment was again taken in the
assault and battery action brought by
Mrs. Mary Henderson against Ira
Bryant of Sharon street for striking her
small daughter with a stick, the
Judge setting the date for the further
hearing of the case for April 1, hop-
ing in the meantime that a settle-
ment of the quarrel between the chil-
dren of the two families would be
amicably settled. Both defendant and
the plaintiff appeared in court, Bryant
bringing along a neighbor's small boy
as a witness and Mrs. Henderson ap-
pearing with her daughter. Both par-
ties promised that there would be no
further trouble between them in the
meantime.

JANESVILLE CANINE TO SMOKE THE PIPE

Miss Genevieve Dower Has Sold One
of Her Valuable Bull Terriers to
Frederick Bowers, the
Actor.

Within a few months when the cur-
tain rises on the opening act of "The
Sweetest Girl in Paris," there will be
Janesville member of the company
discovered smoking a huge
pipe. In everyday life he will be
called a very clever canine and will
undoubtedly look back with envy to his
puppy days with his mother and sister
at the Dower home on South Main
street. Frederick Bowers, who ap-
peared here last evening in "The
Sweetest Girl in Paris" company, has
long been looking for an under study
for his faithful "bull" pup who gravely
smokes a pipe during his entrance
scene. A friend told him of the clever
dog that Miss Genevieve Dower
owned and he would not be satisfied
until he had seen and purchased the
animal. The new addition to the
dramatic corps of the company left
this morning for the tour and will be
trained for his stage debut by his older
canine friend and members of the
company.

OBITUARY.

Eugene Okern Williams.
Death came to sudden the home of
Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Williams, 500 West
Milwaukee street, when their little ten
month's old son, Eugene Okern, passed
away at two o'clock this morning.
The child had been sick for about a
week and his death comes as a severe
shock to the fond parents. Funeral
services will be held tomorrow after-
noon at two o'clock from the home.

Francis J. Burghardt, passed away
last evening at about seven o'clock at
the home of his parents, 1314 West
Bluff street. He deceased was born
in Mineral Point, Wis., June 7, 1864,
and later came to this city with his
parents. He entered the factory of the
Rock River Machine Company where
he learned the trade of a machinist
and was valued as a faithful
and industrious employee. As a worker
he was conscientious and had
mastered the details of his work with
unfailing accuracy. He was a young
man of exemplary habits and had a
promising future. He was obliged to
give up his work several years ago on
account of sickness and spent consid-
erable time in a northern sanitarium
seeking relief from tuberculosis with
which he was afflicted and which
caused his death. Besides his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Burghardt, he
leaves three sisters and one brother.

The funeral will be held from St.
Patrick's church Monday morning at
nine o'clock.
Peter Casady,
Funeral services for the late Peter
Casady, who was suddenly stricken on
his way to the hospital, were held this
morning at half past eight from Ryan's
undertaking rooms and at nine o'clock
from St. Patrick's church. Rev. James
McClintock officiating. The pallbear-
ers were: Michael Heggs, James Law,
George Campbell, William Finley,
William Connell, and John O'Leary.
Interment was in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

Mrs. Elizabeth Leach.
Death came to Mrs. Elizabeth Leach
last evening shortly before eight
o'clock at her home on South Jackson
street. Death came suddenly and was
due to various complications arising
from old age.
The deceased was born at Sher-
brooke, Nova Scotia, Sept. 24, 1836.
She came to Janesville a number of
years ago and has made her home
here for some years past. She was a
member of St. Mary's church and was
esteemed for her faithful devotion.
Besides many friends she is mourned
by three daughters: Mrs. Neeshel Sco-
ville and Miss Moulton Leach of this
city, and another in New York City.
The funeral will be held Monday af-
ternoon at two o'clock from St. Mary's
church. Services will be strictly pri-
vate and friends are requested to
omit flowers.

Marriage License: A license was is-
sued this afternoon by the county
clerk to Seymour L. Johnson of
Whitewater and Lizzie Ferge of Janes-
ville.

SCHOOLS CELEBRATE LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

All the Schools of the City Observed
Anniversary of Beloved
Statesman.

Yesterday afternoon nearly all the
different grades of the city schools ob-
served the birthday of Abraham Lin-
coln which occurs tomorrow, with ap-
propriate exercises. Patriotic songs
were sung by the pupils and stories
were told by the teachers of the life
and deeds of the beloved American
statesman who is termed the savior of
his country. Exercises and recitations
were also given by pupils in some of
the rooms.

At the high school the last periods
of the afternoon were given over to
a short program consisting of a decla-
ration by Miss Ruth Humphrey en-
titled, "The Perfect Tribute," and a
medley of patriotic airs, played by
Miss Marion Veltrick on the piano and
Lloyd Curtis on the drums.

Gave Two Addresses.
Thursday morning at the morning's
exercises of the high school T. M.
Kenderson gave the last of a series of
two addresses on Norway and its litera-
ture. In the first talk he told briefly
of the settlement of Norway and spoke
of the early Norse ballads, the Sagas
and Eddas of their early literature.
The second address dealt with the life
and works of Bjornstjerne Bjornson,
one of the favorite Norse poets and
writers. The influence of his writings
on the trend of thought of the Norse
people and their love of liberty was
emphasized as was also the effect of
the natural scenic surroundings on the
products of his pen.

These addresses to the high school
students are becoming more and more
popular. Some excellent numbers are
promised for next week.

FIREMEN HOPED TO RECEIVE INCREASE

Much Disappointed When Council Did
Not Increase the Monthly
Pay.

Keen disappointment is felt among
the members of the fire and police
forces of the city, it is said, over the
failure of the common council to raise
the salaries of the men at the meeting
last Monday night. Reasons had been
given some of the men, it is said, to
believe that the increase would be
granted, but the city fathers made no
change when the salary list was
voted upon. The Beloit council gave
the men in the first fire department,
who have served two years, five dollars
more, making an increase from
sixty-five dollars to seventy dol-
lars a month. The firemen in Rock-
ford, who were receiving seventy-two
dollars and a half per month now get
seventy-five dollars, and captains get
a five dollar a month raise.

No complaint has been made but the
men feel that they are deserving of
more pay. They are required to be
on duty twenty-four hours every day,
while men in other vocations work
but nine or ten. Comparison is also
made of the wages received by other
laborers. A mechanic's services, ac-
cording to one contractor, are valued
at \$2.25 for nine hours' work, and car-
penters are also well paid.

Paid State Taxes: Town treasurers
paying state taxes late this afternoon
were: J. W. Little, treasurer of the
town of Janesville, \$2756.29; C. E. Cul-
ver, town of La Prairie, \$3564.46;
Mark A. Swan, town of Rock, \$2843.16.

PERSONAL MENTION.

John C. McKenna, Dr. J. B. Whit-
comb and William E. Esor of Madison,
were here last night, coming from the
ski tournament at Stoughton.

A. W. Krause of Jefferson, was in
the city yesterday.
G. C. Roberts of Evansville, was a
business visitor in the city yesterday.
Louis Hirsig of Madison, was here
yesterday.

P. Poyette of Beloit, visited in the
city yesterday.
Mrs. Frank Trovora of Footville
was in the city yesterday and attended
the attraction at the Myers theatre
last evening.

Miss Gladys Hawk is spending over
Sunday at her home near Footville.
— Elmer T. Abbott of Edgerton was a
visitor in the city last evening.

Mrs. John Sweeney went to Milwau-
kee today to visit her daughter, Miss
Hilcho Sweeney, who is in a hospital
there.

H. C. Son, George Sherman and F.
N. Jessup of Edgerton, were in the
city last night.
O. E. Crumb of Milton, spent yester-
day in the city.

Mrs. Annetta C. Warner of Rock-
ford, visited in the city today.
Mrs. Peter Duels and daughter of
Beaver Dam, were Janesville visitors
yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Ames and
the Misses Ruth and Jessie Stonoy
and Della White of Clinton, were in
the city yesterday.

P. A. Newman of Monroe, transacted
business in the city Friday.
J. W. Wells of Orono, was here
yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Murdoch, Miss
Terry and L. G. Johnson of Broad-
way, were in the city yesterday.

Walter Casemer, who has been
spending a year in the West for his
health, has returned home.
Mr. H. B. Drake of Beaver Dam was
the guest of Mrs. T. Sager for a
couple of days.
C. S. Boynton of Avalon was the
guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ransom
today.

MANY FROM HERE AT SKI TOURNEY

Wonderful Records Made by the Jump-
ers at Stoughton on
Friday.

With state officials in attendance,
former Gov. James O. Davidson dedi-
cating the scaffold at Stoughton, on
Friday opened the world's greatest ski
hill in one of the greatest ski feasts
ever held in America.

Never before in a single meet were
so many big jumps made. The aver-
age jumps were 124 feet. Anders
Haugen of Chippewa Falls was the
professional contest with two jumps
of 131 feet, his points totaling 298.
Jacob Gjestad, Stoughton, and Knute
Holland, Chippewa Falls, tied for sec-
ond place with 282 points.

The amateur championship went to
Carl Strom of Stoughton. His long
jump was 119 feet and 116 feet. His
total was 165 points.
Anders Haugen made the longest
standing jump 135 feet. The longest
amateur standing jump by Carl Strom
was 116 feet. Haugen was consid-
ered the most graceful professional and
Arvid Christanson of Stoughton the
most graceful amateur. Haugen and
Gjestad made a twin jump of 114 feet.
The attendance surpassed the great
national meet and was 7,500. The
weather was ideal, but the snow was
not right. The records made on Fri-
day were the best made this year.

Pairing of Duluth, Kompe of Red
Wing, Landvik of Stoughton, all fell,
and were thus handicapped in the
scoring, although they all made big
jumps.

One who was hurt, except one spec-
tator, who fell fifteen feet from a tree
when a branch broke and sustained
a fractured back. Professional prizes
were \$50, \$10, \$20, \$20, \$15, \$10 and
\$5. Amateur prizes were valued at
\$70.

The point winners and their scores
were:

PROFESSIONAL EVENT.	
—Jumps—	
1st.	2d.
Anders Haugen, Chipp. Falls, 131	131
Jacob Gjestad, Stoughton, 122	125
Knute Holland, Chipp. Falls, 125	123
Harris Anderson, Red Wing 117	117
Carl Elk, Red Wing 118	121
Martin Iverson, Red Wing 119	115
Francis Kempe, Red Wing 120	132
Erlich Landvik, Stoughton 134	131
Ole Fehring, Duluth 122	126
Olaf Benson, Red Wing 123	123

AMATEUR EVENT.

AMATEUR EVENT.	
1st.	2d.
Arvid Christanson, Stoughton, 119	116
Martin Vollen, Stoughton 112	112
Helge Solberg, Stoughton 108	119
Alfred Nelson, Stoughton 113	121
Alfred Rossmu, Red Wing 111	117
John Rudensteyn, Stoughton 92	93
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BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

Still Alarm: Someone, seeing sparks
flying from a chimney at the Park ho-
tel, telephoned a still alarm to the fire
department about ten minutes after
six last evening and two of the wagon
were sent out. There was, however,
no danger of a fire and the services of
the department were not required.

Madison Party Here: A party of
Madison people, who had been at the
ski tournament at Stoughton, were
here last evening, returning to the
Capital City on one of the evening
trains. The party was composed of
E. P. Sturek, A. Kumm, P. Coombs,
Art Gallagher, W. Damminger, Dr.
Whitecomb, William Smith, and El-
mer E. Mills.

Basket Ball Tonight: The Lakota
Cardinal basketball team will meet
the Turn-Gemeinde Blues of Chicago,
at the rink this evening. The latter
team are champions of the American
Athletic Federation and play under
the intercollegiate rules and the game
tonight will be somewhat rougher in
consequence.

Justice Weddings: John R. Welty
of Tappan, Kan., and Mable Smith of
Prospert, Ill., were married at 2:30
o'clock this afternoon, before Justice
of the Peace Charles Lange. The
young couple took out a special permit
at the court house today.


States Taxes: Three of the town
treasurers of the county paid in their
state taxes to the county treasurer
today. J. G. Wiekham, Beloit, \$21,012.
65; J. C. Davis, Nowark, \$2,745.88; W.
C. Miller, Center, \$3,016.37.

Is at County Jail: Charles Munn of
Beloit is at the county jail in default
of a thousand dollar bail, charged with
a serious offense for a married man.
His hearing will be held in Beloit on
Wednesday next. He was arrested
yesterday in Beloit and brought here
in the afternoon by Chief Quilman.

Is Going West: Mr. and Mrs. Val-
lace Binghamer and daughter, Mrs.
Charles Mohls, and B. E. Hanks and
family, who have made their homes
in the town of Rock for many years,
leave on March 11 for Oregon where
they will make their future homes.

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TO JOIN STAFF OF MILWAUKEE SENTINEL

Miss Charlotte Mount to Take Up
Newspaper Work in the
Cream City.

Miss Charlotte Mount left today for
Milwaukee where she will become a
member of the editorial staff of the
Milwaukee Sentinel, being assigned to
the society work. Miss Mount has
shown much aptitude for newspaper
work and has had considerable experi-
ence during the past two years, having
been connected with the Recorder staff
of this city. Miss Mount will be in
the same department as Mrs. Louisa
Brand, another Janesville young
woman, who has taken newspaper
work up as her life work and has made
an enviable reputation for herself.

SUPERVISOR STAR WILL SPEAK AT STATE MEETING

Will Address County Supervisors of
Assessments at State Confer-
ence at Madison.

County Supervisor of Assessments
F. P. Starr will attend the annual con-
ference of the supervisors of assess-
ment of the state to be held at Mad-
ison, beginning February 28th, and will
deliver an address before that body.
Mr. Starr has been asked by the state
tax commission to speak on the sub-
ject, "Assessment of Merchants' and
Manufacturers' Stock."

MILTON JUNCTION.

Milton Junction, Feb. 11.—Mr. and
Mrs. E. B. Bond of Huntington, West
Virginia, are here visiting relatives
and friends. Mr. Bond has given up
his position in the railroad office and
expects to work in Milwaukee in the
near future.

The schools all let out yesterday
to allow the teachers and scholars to
attend the ski jump at Stoughton.
About forty took advantage and went.
Most of them who went did not spend
very highly of the sport from the
spectators' standpoint.

F. L. Hall is on the sick list this
week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Morris enter-
tained the "All Four Club" club last
evening in a very charming manner. I.
P. Hinkley and Mrs. Will Thorpe car-
ried off the prizes.

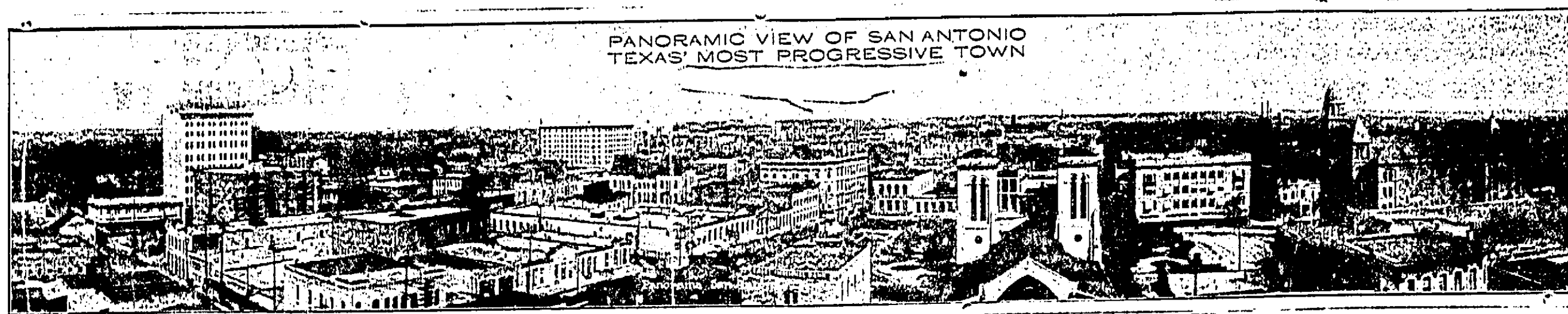
Phil Welch is again on the sick list.
His father, Mr. Welch, is improving.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Thorpe who have
been staying at the home of his par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Thorpe, for
the past four weeks, are again at
home. Mrs. Thorpe is able to be out
after a stroke of illness.

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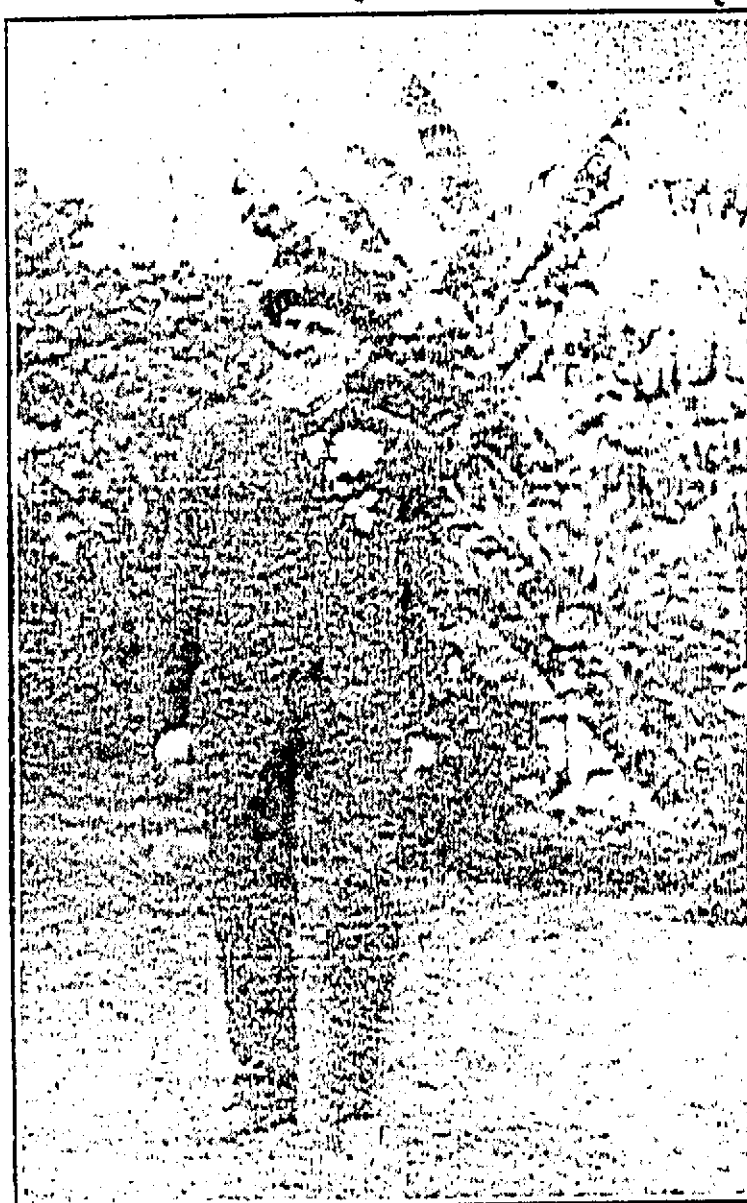
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IMPROVEMENTS IN GREEN COUNTY FAIR

Were Discussed At the Recent Meeting of the Board of Directors.

Other Monroe News.

Monroe, Feb. 11.—Various matters toward the improvement of the Green county fair for 1911 were discussed by the new board of directors at their first meeting. The directors have approved the price of season and exhibitors' tickets from \$1.25 to \$1.50 in addition to the increase in general admission from 25 cents to 50 cents voted by the board at the annual meeting.

A system of fire protection for the amphitheatre is to be included in the coming fair improvements. The main entrance to the grounds is to be extended across the street and divided into entrances and exits. The secretary's office is to be moved south across the road and connected with the treasurer's office.

The work will be greatly systematized by the selection of some between the directors who have each been assigned to special duty. A Chicago management manager has offered the fair \$300 for the midway privilege and agrees to furnish ten high class shows.

Go to Germany.

Leon O. Griffith, of this city, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gard Griffith, will soon leave for Germany as one of the foreign representatives of the National Harvester Company, for whom he had worked for the past two years. The offer made by the concern is a marked advancement and Mr. Griffith has had the matter under consideration for several weeks and has just decided to accept the position. He has represented the company as salesman in this territory and has been very successful in the agricultural course at the university at Madison, was connected with a large scientific dairy in New Jersey.

Mr. Griffith will go to Chicago Monday morning to begin a tour of the factories of the company in this country which will mean a two month's tour. He will probably go to Germany in May to take up his new duties.

Elaborate Banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben G. Front banqueted the members of their club at the Ludlow, covers being laid for fourteen. Table decorations were of pink and carnations and ferns. The guests were then taken to the Galusha home, 302 East Russell street where the evening was spent in fun.

Freeman Raymer.

Freeman Raymer, pioneer of Green county, died at the home of his son-in-law, Christ Teichertman, Jr., following a long illness of cancer of the stomach. He came here when three years of age with his parents from Pennsylvania and was 55 years of age at the time of his death. He leaves behind him a wife three sons and two daughters. His wife, Mrs. Teichertman, his daughter, Miss Pearl Raymer and Jesse Raymer of Seattle, who were at his deathbed. He was a member of the Leland Standard University, Cal.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Methodist church.

COMMUNICATION.

Abraham Lincoln.

On Sunday, the 12th, the people of this country will very generally observe the 102nd anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, the name and fame of whom has become a household word all over our land.

What he said and did either as President or citizen, is very generally accepted and held in high esteem by all our citizens.

No other man in the history of the world as the leader of a great nation was ever called upon to exercise such great wisdom, yet among all the discord, clamor and abuse he was above all obstacles to a clear conception of the right and with firmness, yet with a compassionate regard for all sought the upholding and accomplishment of that which he in his judgment deemed the right.

But while he will ever be honored for his wonderful wisdom, his kindness, sympathy and love for all his fellow men, whether friend or foe, will forever place him foremost in the minds of all as an example for all to follow in their relations and dealings with their fellow men. Great men stand in awe in his day for fear that in the exercise of his kindly nature he might cause the demoralization of a necessary discipline in the army, utterly failing to appreciate the fact that every act of kindness and eloquence on the part of Abraham Lincoln toward the soldier in the field was a stimulant to a greater regard on the part of the soldier for the commanders-in-chief and a stronger patriotism for the nation and the cause in which they were fighting.

If Abraham Lincoln was human, his humanity was of the highest order, and well worthy of the honor and emulation of all our people. And because he was human, statesman and peasant may find a guiding star in the history of his life worthy and safe for all to follow.

Abraham Lincoln was sympathetically a man of the people—self-educated, self-made, an independent, conscientious thinker and reasoner, and although not an academic scholar the logic of his reasoning was beyond the power of others to successfully resist. And although born in a hovel and reared in the wilderness he was nature's best product and Providence's best gift to this nation at a time when a great leader was most needed. Others may come and go but no other will be likely to become so exalted in the minds of the American people. No other will be likely to possess all of those qualities of heart and of brain that has made him the typical American among all our people—the ideal lawyer, statesman, citizen and friend.

And when memory's scroll shall have been folded And carefully laid away, And there remaineth not A living witness

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TWO VICTORIES FOR HIGH SCHOOL FIVES

First Team Defeated Monroe School Five and Second Team Won From Y. M. C. A. Squad.

Two easy victories were gained by the first and second basketball teams of the high school, the former winning from Monroe high school 46 to 14, and the second beating the local Y. M. C. A. five 23 to 4.

Monroe was outclassed and out-reached by the local first team. The Green county players put up a first class game, but were at a disadvantage because of their shortness of stature. The Monroe boys played well together, but were weak in throwing baskets. The score was 46 to 14 at the end of the first half. In the second half, Monroe displayed better playing while the locals did not strive to run up the score. Janesville made fourteen points and their opponents nine.

The second team had things their own way in the opening game last night with the Y. M. C. A. quintet, although the associated squad had one field goal and two free throws, while the second made eleven field baskets and one free throw. In the first half the Y did not have even a "hook" but failing entirely to make a point. Coach and Y. Hoanhuah each made four field goals and Southman two for the second team. The playing was more interesting in the second half, the associated on five gaining four points and holding the school men to three.

Details of the two contests: Janesville (first team): W. Hemminger, c; R. Cunningham, rf; Kest, lf; Brown, rg; Edler and Patter, lg; Gibbons and Stauffer, rf; G. Collette, lg.

Field baskets: Hemminger, 10; Kest, 2; Cunningham, 4; Gibbons, 2; Collette, Brown, 2; Edler, 1; Clayton, 1. Free throws: Kest, 2; Cunningham, 1.

Referee: Metcalf; umpire, Kunkson. High school (second team): Hemminger, c; Southman, rf; Kest, lf; Matt, rg; Hazen, lg.

Y. M. C. A. Quintet: c; Munnchow, rg; Keshlow and Porter, lg; Kilmer, rf; Ryder, lf.

Field goals: Kest, 4; Hemminger, 4; Southman, 2; Hazen, 1; Ryder, 1. Free throws: Hazen, 1; Ryder, 1; Kilmer, 1.

Referee, S. C. Linn; umpire, Kunkson.

Myers Grand Jammed to the Doors for "Sweetest Girl in Paris"

Standing room was a premium at the Myers Grand last night, and the house was jammed to the doors at the performance of the best of La Salle productions, "The Sweetest Girl in Paris." With a group of stars in the cast, and every one from the bull pup of Frederick Bower up to Trixie herself entering into the life of the performance, the audience was treated to a show that was everything that it was said to be.

This is the first week away from Chicago and stage settings and costumes were all in splendid condition. The work of Trixie Friganza needs no commendation and it is enough to say that she was at her best. Zoe Burnett and Dorothy Bronner, the former in the role of the buyer for the Chicago jewelry firm and the latter, the sweetest girl in Paris, were "advertisers" and left a very good impression in the minds of the listeners on the singing of the "whitely" song bits which have made the piece famous.

Frederick Bowers, who took the part of the young Pittsburgh millionaire who tried so hard to get rid of all his money, was excellent. Two other characters were handled in an excellent manner, that of Coburn, the voiceless tenor, by Alexander Carr and Annette by Kathryn Palmer. Next to Trixie herself, the latter with her antics as the "maid of all work" who was forever looking for a man, kept the audience in a roar from curtain to curtain. Taking the whole cast all the way through, Janesville people had occasion to witness a group of singers and dancers last evening, who were most excellent and who have made names for themselves in their respective lines.

The song hits, such as "I Love Them All from A to Z," "Bombashay," "The Sweetest Girl in Paris," "Don't Forget the Number," "Boys! Boys! Boys!" and numerous others were all good and the stage settings and effects were planned in a way that has made a name for the La Salle pieces.

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TEAMSTERS RAISED PRICE FOR WORK

Commencing April 1 Prices Will Be \$5 A Day With Nine Hours As Full Day On Saturdays.

Janesville teamsters have decided to raise the prices for teaming work for four dollars to five dollars, after the change in prices taking effect the first of April. Nine hours work will constitute a full day on Saturdays, according to the announcement made by the teamsters. This decision was reached at a meeting of the Janesville Team Owners' association on Wednesday evening, practically all of the team owners in the city being included in the organization. The announcement was made through a committee composed of Charles Wood and William Hughes.

BROOKLYN TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB MEETING

Excellent Program Was Enjoyed Yesterday Afternoon at Home of Mrs. E. D. Upson.

Brooklyn, Feb. 11.—The Women's Twentieth Century club met with Mrs. E. D. Upson yesterday afternoon. The program was as follows: "Current Events," Mrs. Minna Haynes; "The Brook," Mrs. Every; "Sketch of Browning," Mrs. Daisy Baldwin; "Romola," Mrs. Edna Smith; "Hanging of the Crane," Mrs. Ina Hook; "Andrea del Sarto," Mrs. Minna Baldwin.

The women elected the following officers at their meeting on Monday evening: Chair—Clint Shultz; Assistant—L. C. Lenz; Secretary—A. G. Miller; Treasurer—C. L. Wackman; Steward—E. E. Roberts; Wardens—Ed. Every, H. J. Ellis.

Basketball. The Oregon high school first team won from the locals at the opera house Friday evening by a score of 15 to 11 in a fast and exciting game of basketball. The second team defeated the Oregon second team 23 to 4. The first team contest closely resembled a football game.

Edmonds-Reese. Warren Reese and Miss Anna Edmonds, both of Brooklyn township, were married on Tuesday of last week in Monroe. They will reside on a farm in Brooklyn township.

Personal. Bert Kelley, south of town, is seriously ill with the measles. Band practice will be held hereafter twice a week, on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, at the fire station.

The Fox Manufacturing company resumed operations yesterday, after being shut down for nearly three weeks.

Jan, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Reese, is ill with the measles. The new train schedule did not take effect Sunday as was expected, but it is thought that a number of trains will be taken off next Sunday.

Albert, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Mason, has been quite ill with the grippe, but is better at present.

Mrs. L. T. Armstrong went to Tomah, Wednesday, to see her father, who is very ill.

The village board has voted to pay ten dollars a month toward the night watchman's salary.

Miss Lulu Winter has resigned her position as telephone operator and will leave about March 1.

Remember the Farmers' Institute at Brooklyn, Feb. 28 to March 1.

Miss Jessie Bakken was home from Madison over Sunday.

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FINE PROGRAM PREPARED FOR LINCOLN BANQUET

February Fourteenth Will Be the Date of Event at Evansville Methodist Church.

(SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.) Evansville, Feb. 10.—The following program has been arranged for the Lincoln banquet which is to be held in the M. E. church, Feb. 14, Rev. Chas. E. Coon will act as toastmaster. Violett solo. "The Statesman," Frank Wilder.

Rev. D. Q. Grabbill. Duet, "The Statesman," Mrs. Anna Scholte.

"The Other Half-Splitter," Mrs. O. C. Colony. Reading, "Miss Fanny Ball."

"Abraham Lincoln—the Problem He Faced," Alex. Richardson Solo. "Abraham Lincoln—His Place in History," Hon. A. H. Sholtz.

"America," Audience. Miscellaneous Shower.

A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Mrs. John Baker this afternoon for Miss Velma Nelson in honor of her approaching marriage to Mr. Olsen. There were a dozen or more present and their coming was planned as a surprise to Miss Nelson. She received many beautiful and useful gifts. All spent a very happy afternoon, the guests enjoying the occasion equally as much as the bride-to-be.

Local and Personal. Judge George D. Alden of Boston spoke to a large and appreciative audience in the opera house last evening. He gave his grand lecture, "The Needs of the Hour."

The members of the freshman class of the high school are planning for a Valentine party to be held in Library hall next Tuesday evening.

The high school basketball team have gone to Brodhead this afternoon where they have arranged a game with the Brodhead team this evening. Mr. and Mrs. A. Park are attending the 8th tournament and visiting relatives at Stoughton today.

Miss Lucile Callins of Evansville, Ill., will spend next week with Evansville relatives.

Mrs. Will Johnson of Columbus, Wis., arrived last evening for a short visit with Evansville relatives.

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JANESVILLE ART LEAGUE MEETING

Interesting Program Was Given At Session At the City Hall Yesterday Afternoon.

The regular business meeting of the Janesville Art League was held in the city hall yesterday afternoon. After the business of the session was completed, an interesting program was given. The subjects discussed were: Materials and methods, Mrs. Murdoch; Subject and Motive Effect, action and Motion and Imagination, Quality and Style, Personality and Conventionalism, Mrs. T. W. Nazam; Current Events, Mrs. Osgood.

NORTH WEST LA PRAIRIE.

Northwest La Prairie, Feb. 10.—Mrs. Glenn Condon and baby of Brodhead, and Mrs. Arthur Arnold of Plymouth, spent several days at the home of Mrs. Lewis Harnage the past week.

Mrs. Anthony Wright and two children of Illinois, have been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hargrave.

Mrs. R. H. Hall visited from Sunday until Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Martin, in Milton.

Mrs. Frances Wolfe of Janesville, who formerly lived here, was married Monday, February 6th to Louis Puschel of Beloit. They will reside in Beloit.

Mrs. R. E. Wilcox went to Milton Monday to help care for Mrs. A. E. Wilcox. She returned home Wednesday and reports the sick woman a little better.

John Hagman was a Chicago visitor one day last week.

AVAILON.

Availon, Feb. 11.—Miss Mildred Dam gave a Valentine party at her home in Oxford the Friday evening, in honor of her guest Misses Loreto and Ruth Lane of Availon.

Little Miss Gladys Harrison who has been very ill with appendicitis is slowly gaining.

Monticello. Monticello, Feb. 9.—Edw. Whitner was a passenger to Chicago Monday evening.

M. L. Barney went to Chicago Tuesday morning for a few days visit.

Mrs. Wm. Jones is able to be about again, after a several day seige of the grippe.

Mrs. E. J. Breylinger is slowly recovering from a severe attack of stomach trouble.

Thomas Coffey and family returned Wednesday from a visit of several days with relatives at Blanchardville.

W. E. Bontly and Alfred Vogel went to Chicago Monday evening, on business.

Mrs. Amelia Cronch returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives and friends at Chicago and Peoria.

Miss Hulda Whitner of Washington township is the guest of Miss Christy Coman, at present.

Mrs. David Pratt and son, Vanoss, arrived home recently from a visit with relatives at York, Neb.

Fred Netherland of Apple River, Ill. is here on a visit to his brother, John Netherland and family.

Miss Clara Hensley returned to New Chicago Wednesday evening, after a short visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Oda Breylinger.

Mrs. and Mrs. George Clark of Oneida, Neb., arrived here Monday, being summoned on account of the serious illness of the gentleman's brother, W. H. Clark.

Andrew Bontly and Mrs. Edward Varty spent Wednesday in Freeport, being accompanied by the latter's son, who is receiving medical treatment there.

Benkert and Stauffer have purchased the stone house owned by Jon Stauffer, located on West street, paying the sum of \$300 and the taxes for the same.

THE SHOEMAKER'S ART.

It Has Been Known Since the Earliest Days of Civilization.

A few winters ago I passed a day among the wonderfully decorated tombs in the cemetery of what was once Memphis, upon the western bank of the Nile, writes Julius Chambers in the Brooklyn Eagle. One of the show places is the remarkable underground palace that the illustrious Queen Ti of the fifth dynasty (A. D. about 4500 years ago) constructed for her final resting place. It consists of a great court 40 by 50 feet, as I remember, and several other apartments, besides the mummy chamber, which is reached by a stairway leading down from the largest room. Upon the walls of this tomb are the best preserved pictures to be found in all Egypt, and among them are the figures of two artisans working upon coverings for the feet.

Therefore, makers of shoes, I salute you! More than 4,000 years before the art of printing had practical existence, although you will admit that the decorator of Queen Ti's tomb was almost a publisher, your art was recognized, respected and immortalized.

The natural impulse of mankind is to barefoot. Every reader can remember youthful days in which the greatest possible pleasure was embodied in a run through the woods or along the shore unshod. Very well can I recall the secret spot in the barn in which I was wont to hide my shoes and stockings in order that I might be in the competition for the first stone-brush of the summer. That was the primitive man, speaking up for the faraway days "before we were women and men."

Would Protect Monopoly. Automatic cigar and cigarette lighters are being heavily taxed by the French government, on the ground that these lighters, which are becoming increasingly popular in France, infringe the state monopoly of matches.

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IN THE CHURCHES

St. Mary's Catholic.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic church.—First mass, 8:30 A. M.; second mass, 10:30 A. M.; vespers and benediction, 7:30 P. M.; Rev. Wm. A. Goebel pastor.

St. Patrick's Catholic. St. Patrick's Roman Catholic church.—corner of Cherry and Holmes streets. Dean E. E. Reddy, pastor; Rev. James J. McElmurry, assistant pastor. Residence at 315 Cherry street. First mass, 7 A. M.; second mass, 9 A. M.; third mass, 10:30 P. M.

Presbyterian. Presbyterian church, Rev. J. W. Laughlin, D. D. pastor. Subject in the morning "Is there a place for honest doubt?" In the evening the pastor will lead a series of sermons with the scriptural text "The subject of tomorrow evening will be John of Arc—one of the most mysterious and interesting characters of the middle ages. You are cordially invited to study 'The Maid of Orleans' with the assistance of some of the best pictures that can be secured. A good musical program will be rendered by a chorus choir under the direction of Prof. Taylor.

St. Peter's Eng. Lutheran. St. Peter's English Ev. Lutheran church.—Corner South Jackson and Center streets. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M.; morning services at 11:00 A. M.; Luther League at 6:00 P. M.

Methodist Church. Carroll Memorial M. E. church, Rev. T. D. Williams, minister; Miss Hattie Kloss, deaconess. 9:45. Class meeting, 8. Rehearsal, 10:30. sermon by pastor on "Civic Righteousness," 11:30. Holy Communion, 7:30. "The Sinner's Prayer," 11:30. Sunday school at 12 o'clock. T. E. Bonnikson, supt. Epworth League. Two sessions, 6:30. All invited to all services. The annual meeting of the Sunday school board for election of officers will be held Thursday, 8:00 p. m.

Christ Episcopal Church. Christ church, The Rev. Jno. McKinney, M. A., rector, Septuagesima Sunday. Holy communion, 8:00 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon 10:30 a. m. Sunday school 12:00 p. m. Evening prayer, 7:00 p. m. Friday, evening prayer, 7:00 p. m. Monday, Daughters of the King meet at 3:00 p. m. with Mrs. William Rogers. Tuesday, Christ Church guild meets in parish house at 2:00 p. m.

St. John's Church. St. John's German Evang. Lutheran church.—Cor. Peace and Court and Bluff St. Rev. S. W. Puch, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Annual meeting of the Building Association in the afternoon.

United Brethren. United Brethren church, Cor. Milton and Prospect avenues. L. A. McIntyre, pastor. Bible school at 10:00 a. m. Preaching services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. The pastor preaching at both services. Y. P. S. C. E. meets at 6:00 p. m. At 3:00 p. m. there will be a special service, to which all adults are invited, the purpose of which will be to form popular bible classes for all who are interested in the study of the word and God, this class will meet Sunday afternoons from 3 to 4 o'clock. Mid-week service on Thursday evening. Prof. Floyd Starr of Chicago, will lecture on "Religion," use and abuse, on Tuesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Don't fail to hear him.

Trinity-Episcopal. Trinity Episcopal church, Rev. Henry Williams, rector, Septuagesima Sunday. Holy communion, 7:30 a. m. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon, 10:30. Evening song, 4:30 p. m. Tuesday, St. Valentine's day. Parish home coming supper and sociable, 6:30 p. m. Every member of the parish is expected to attend.

Scientist Church. First Church of Christ Scientists. Services are held in Phoenix block, West Milwaukee street, Sunday morning at 10:30 and Wednesday evening at 7:45. The subject of the Lesson-Sermon Sunday morning will be "Soul." Sunday school meets at 12:00 o'clock. Reading room open daily, except Sunday, from 2 to 4 p. m.

Howard Chapel. Howard Chapel, corner of Eastern avenue and South Jackson St. C. H. Howard, Superintendent, Bible School at 2:30 p. m. to be followed immediately by appropriate services for the anniversary of Abraham Lincoln's birthday. Extra introductory of this service in charge of C. H. Howard. Address by Rev. James Willard Scott. Subject, "The Practical Influence of that Life Upon the 20th Century." It will pay you to come.

Salvation Army. Rev. T. D. Williams of the M. E. church will speak at the Salvation Army Citadel this evening at eight o'clock on the subject, "Do You Know God?" Sunday evening at eight Capt. R. Simpson will have for the subject of his address, "Pay Your Vows." Monday evening L. A. McIntyre will speak on "A Telegram From Heaven." Every one is invited to attend these services which will be of unusual interest. Capt. Fleming will be in charge of the meetings. Music will be furnished by the band.

Congregational Church. First Congregational church, cor. Dodge and South Jackson streets. Rev. David Benton, M. A., minister; Mrs. Zoe Pearl Park, musical director. 10:30 a. m. sermon, "The Banker's Service to the Community." Music, "Praise the Lord,"—Maumder. The Choral Union With Soprano Solo by Mrs. Wilcox. Solo, "Just For Today."—Abbott. Mrs. Park. The Pleasant Sunday evening service, 7:00 p. m. Lincoln's birthday service. Address, "Lincoln's Contribution To Our National Progress." Chorus—"The Son of God Goes Forth to War"—Cutler. The Boy's Choir and Men's Chorus. Solo, "Everybody Did A Golden Deed"—Weeden. Mrs. Park. The subjects render this in a peculiar sense, our Men's Sunday. The forenoon is the first of a series on the "Modern Business Man." The evening is one of great interest to all citizens. Sunday school and Men's Study Class at 12:15 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. holds commemorative exercises at 6:00 p. m. Kindergarten during the morning service.

A cordial welcome to the public to attend these services.

First Baptist.

First Baptist church, corner Pleasant and Jackson streets, Rev. Hazen, pastor. Morning worship 10:30 A. M.; sermon, subject, "The Way of Unselfishness." Sunday school at 12 noon. A class for everyone. Music by orchestra. Young People's Society 6:00. Topic, "Lessons From Great Lives." Evening service, 7:00. Subject, "Neither off Nor Forsaken." A sermon on how to meet life's trials. Choral music. You are invited. Prayer meeting Thursday evening. Subject, "Religious Training or Religion in the Home."

Child Dies; Father Sues Teacher. Waterloo, Ia., Feb. 11.—A civil suit asking \$2,000 damages was filed here against J. L. Brantner, a school teacher, by A. E. Canfield, who charges that his 12-year-old son, Samuel, died as a result of a severe whipping administered by the instructor with a bro

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CHAPTER XIV. PLAQUE AND MURDER.

UPON leaving timber line Cavanagh and Wetherford entered upon a wide and sterile slope high on the rocky breast of the great peak whose splintered crest loomed above. Snow fields lay all about, and a few feet higher up the canyons were filled with ice. It was a savage, and almost swept spot in which to pitch a tent, but there among the rocks shivered the minute canvas home of the shepherd, and close beside it, guarded by a lone dog and lying like a thick spread flock of ruminant animals, nestled the sheep. "There's your house," shouted Ross to Wetherford.

The older man, with white face of dismay, looked about him, unable to make reply.

"Hello, there!" shouted Ross, wondering at the absence of human life about the camp. "Hello, the house!" Receiving no answer to his hail, he turned to Wetherford. "Looks as if Ambro has pulled out and left the colts to tend the flock. He's been kind of seedy for some days."

Dismounting, he approached the tent. The colts, who knew him, seemed to understand his errand, for he leaped upon him as if to kiss his cheek. Ross put him down gently. "You're almost too glad to see me, old fellow. I wonder how long you've been left here alone."

Thereupon he opened the tent flap, but started back with instant perception of something wrong, for there, on his pile of ragged quilts, lay the Basque herder, with flushed face and rolling eyes, crazed with fever and entirely helpless. "You'd better not come in here, Wetherford," Ross warned. "Joe is here, horribly sick, and I'm afraid it's something contagious. It may be smallpox."

Wetherford recoiled a step. "Smallpox! What makes you think that?" "Well, those blagues have been having it over in their settlement, and besides, it smells like it." He listened a moment. "I'm afraid Joe's in for it. He's crazy with it. But he's a human being, and you can't let him die here alone. You rustle some wood for the stove, and I'll see what I can do for him."

Wetherford was old and wasted and thin blooded, but he had never been a coward, and in his heart there still burned a small flame of his youthful, reckless, generous daring. Pushing Cavanagh aside, he said with firm decision: "You keep out of there. I'm the one to play nurse. This is my job."

"Nonsense! I am younger and stronger than you." "Get away!" shouted the older man. "Grogg hired me to do this work, and it don't matter whether I live or die. But you've got something to do in the world. My girl needs you, and she don't need me, so get out of here and stay out. Go bring me that wood and I'll go in and see what the matter is."

Cavanagh looked him in the face and said: "Very well," and he left him as you say. "There's no use of our both taking chances."

It was beginning to rain, and the tent was dark and desolate, but as the fire in the little stove commenced to sputter and the smoke to pour out of the pipe the small domestic took on cheer. Wetherford knew how to care for the sick and in the shelter of the canvas wall developed unforeseen vigor and decision. It was amazing to Cavanagh to witness his change of manner.

Soon a pan of water was steaming, and some hot stones were at the sufferer's feet, and when Wetherford appeared at the door of the tent his face was almost happy. "Kill a sheep. There isn't a thing but a heel of bacon and a little flour in the place."

"Twenty miles of most difficult trail lay between Cavanagh's cabin and this spot. To carry the sick man on his horse would not only be painful to the sufferer, but dangerous to the rescuer, for if the horse were really ill of smallpox contagion would surely follow. On the other hand, to leave him to die here unaided seemed inhuman, impossible."

"There's only one thing to do," he called to Wetherford, "and that is for me to ride back to the station and bring up some extra bedding and my own tent and so camp down beside you."

"All right, but remember I've established a quarantine. I'll crack your head if you break over the line an inch."

There was no longer any feeling of retching up or reaching down between the two men—they were equals. Wetherford, altogether admirable, seemed to have regained his manhood as he stood in the door of the tent confronting the ranger. "This Basque ain't much of a traitor, as you say, he's a human, and we can't let him die here and die. I'll stay with him till you can find a doctor or till he dies."

"I take off my hat to you," responded Cavanagh. "You are a man."

Once again the two men were

his tent and provisions burned," he exclaimed wrathfully.

The horse snorted and shied as he rode nearer, and then a shudder passed through the ranger's heart as he perceived in the edge of the smoldering embers a boot heel and then a charred hand! In the smoke of that fire was the mark of human flesh.

For a long time the ranger sat on his horse, peering down into those ashes until at last it became evident to his eyes that at least two sheep herders had been sacrificed on the cattleman's altar of hate and greed.

All about on the soil the story was written all too plain. Two men, possibly three, had been murdered, cut to pieces and burned not many hours before. There stood the bloody spade with which the bodies had been dismembered, and there lay an empty can whose oil had been poured upon the



HE PERCEIVED A CHARMED HAND!

mingled camp utensils, tent and wagon of the herders in the attempt to incinerate the huddled and dismembered limbs of the victims. The lawlessness of the range had culminated. The ferocity of the herder had gone beyond the savage. Here in the sweet autumn air the reek of the cattleman's vengeance rose like some hideous vapor, poisonous and obscene.

The ranger sickened as the bloody tale unfolded itself before him. Then a fierce hate of such warfare flamed in his heart. Could this enormity be committed under any other civilized flag? Would any other government intermingle so foully, so childishly, its state and federal authority as to permit such diabolism?

In his horror, his sense of revolt, he cursed the state of which he was a citizen. He would have resigned his commission at the moment, so intense was his resentment of the supine, careless, jaded, slattern government under which he was serving.

"By the Lord," he breathed, with sudden intensity, "if this does not shame the people of this state into revolt, if these fiends are not bound and hung, I will myself hang them. I cannot live and do my duty here unless this crime is avenged by law." (To be Continued.)

Peculiar Hindoo Drums.

Drums used in Hindoo religious processions are called dholas. They are made of baked earth, and sometimes a yard long, and twice as large at the center as at either end. Kettle drums are thin copper basins or bowls, covered with parchment or calf-skin, which is held in place by an iron hoop.

Good Exercise.

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Is Life Worth Living?

By REV. F. M. HUBBELL
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TEXT—My soul is weary of life.—Job X, 1.

At one time Job, with a large happy family, had lived in comfort surrounded by flocks and herds and great abundance. But calamity after calamity fell upon him. The Sabeans carried off his sheep; the lightning fell upon his camels; a storm buried his sons under a fallen building; he himself was smitten from head to foot with loathsome sores. And Job began to wish that he was dead—perhaps he even thought of committing suicide.

But calamity stricken Job is only one of a vast multitude who, crushed to earth by the relentless weight of adversity, have eked out a miserable existence, while perhaps the mind has been crowded with thoughts of self-destruction. We are moved therefore to ask, with Job of old and with the poor wretch, the tragical ending of whose life is noted in last night's paper.

Now one's answer to this question depends, not so much upon the experience, painful and pleasurable, through which he passes, as upon the significance which he attaches to those experiences. This is conclusively shown from the fact that from no quarter are the answers uniform.

Out of similar conditions one believes existence while another rejoices in it. From the fires of persecution there comes back to our question, now a positive negative, now as possible an affirmative, and again a mere question point. Such different estimates of life grow out of a man's fundamental beliefs—they seem often to depend absolutely upon his experiences—the experiences often affect the beliefs; but a man's philosophy of life is the determining factor.

One man declares there is no God; another believes in the Christ revelation of God—and they reach different conclusions as to whether life is worth living.

Take the first man who denies the existence of a personal God. Then, for him, there's no conscious, intelligent volitional cause for his existence. His own mental and heart powers are simply unique products of such materials and forces as food, water, light, air, heat and electricity. He is but a creature of circumstances, developed from a material thing—call it a protoplasmic germ—into a sentient being that hungers and thirsts, suffers physical pain, writhes in mental agony.

Moral responsibility is excluded; there's no moral source for it—no higher moral to be held responsible to. Then there's no obligation resting upon the strong to regard the weak; the midnight ruffian is as innocent as the babe he murders, groveling millions must suffer to no purpose, for no directing God means no directing purpose. To endure for a time is of no avail, for immortality has no meaning. The soul is but a fragment of the imagination; imagination is but a bubble cooing out of brain tissue; human love merely the effluence which passes off from chemical reaction.

The bald pessimism of Von Hartmann and Schopenhauer is a widely accepted doctrine of life today. Von Hartmann finds no purpose in history; progress simply increases man's consciousness of the vanity of life. Schopenhauer says: "To live is to desire, to desire is to want, to want is to suffer."

Therefore, to live is to suffer."

But the average man cannot escape the conviction that God lives and reigns. What answer, then, does the man make who knows only the stern, relentless God discoverable from nature? This man admits a controlling purpose. The apparent invariableness of natural law seems shut out the possibility of special Providence. Though his whole nature cries out to God in prayer, he has no assurance of being heard. And he feels the burden of sin with no hope of mercy. Conscience cries out his guilt; swift penalties falling when physical law is violated suggest dire consequences for the violation of moral law.

To square himself with an angry God he mutilates his body, consigns his children to the flames, expects to become an Ixion bound to a revolving wheel, a Tantalus with an insatiable thirst. To drown the voice of conscience he plunges into dissipation or throws himself into the turmoil of trade, and yet conscience speaks. He tries to fulfill its behests, but the man, tempted in all points like us, yet without compass or rudder, he struggles in turbulent waters to enter a harbor of safety.

And that harbor may be the very vortex of a whirlpool, for he knows not his own destiny. To this man who knows not Jesus Christ, it is a real question whether life be worth living. Job never doubted the existence of God, but he knew him not as a father, and in the hour of calamity he cursed the day of his birth.

To the Christian man, however, there can be only an affirmative answer to our question. God is Christ revealed to him; and he is borne irresistibly onward through all circumstances, murmuring: "All things work together for good." "Not a sparrow shall fall," "Whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth," "Adversity yieldeth the peaceful fruits of righteousness." Surely he hath borne our griefs and carried our sorrows.

Strong Reasoning Faculties.

Behold a conductor making his way through the car, curiously scrutinizing every one's feet. He looks puzzled, and finally holding up a face half shoe with a laced garter in place around it, calls out, with a broad grin, grinning widely: "Sure, will the person with a wooden leg please claim this?" All the women in the car nervously pull their skirts all further down, and the men put away their newspapers.—New York Press.

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Eljah's Victory Over the Prophets of Baal, 1 Kings xviii:1-2, 17-40.

Golden Text—Choose you this day whom ye will serve. Joshua xiv:15.

(1.) Verses 1-2—How long had the famine lasted in the land?

(2.) Did the Lord speak to Eljah in any different manner to what he speaks to those who serve him today?

(3.) Why had God kept Eljah away from Ahab for three years or during the continuance of the famine?

(4.) Would the suffering caused Ahab, by the famine have put him into a better frame of mind to realize his sin, and whether or not, does suffering as a rule bring about repentance?

(5.) Verses 17-20—What law in almost human nature did Ahab demonstrate in the way he accepted Eljah?

(6.) Why is it that sinners when they suffer for their sins generally put the blame on some one else?

(7.) In what respects was it true that Ahab and his house were the troublemakers of Israel?

(8.) Verse 21—What text did Eljah propose to Ahab and the people?

(9.) Why did not Ahab slay Eljah when he was in his power and seeing he had been hunting him for that purpose?

(10.) Verse 21—Which is the more harmful condition, to be almost persuaded to be a Christian or to be definitely decided that we will not? Why?

(11.) Why had the people of Israel been battling between serving God and Baal?

(12.) Why could not the people answer the challenge of Eljah?

(13.) What can you say about the value of Eljah's advice to the people?

(14.) Verse 22—Was Eljah correct in his opinion that he was the only prophet remaining true to God? (See Chap. xix:18.)

(15.) In what sense is the proverb always true, that "one man and God are always a majority?"

(16.) Is it always God's plan to give the victory to every man of God, no matter if he is alone and all the people are against him? Give your reason.

(17.) Verses 23-25—Was the plan

to prove that Eljah was no god his own, or had it been given to him by God? Give your reason. (See verse 36.)

(18.) Why would he be either wisdom or folly, in this day, for any good man to adopt the same sort of test to prove that those who opposed Christianity were wrong?

(19.) What is the supreme test, or proof, to-day, that our God is real; and a present being in trouble, and all other gods are false? (This question must be answered in writing by members of the club.)

(20.) Verses 26-29—What reason is there to believe that these prophets of Baal believed in their god?

(21.) How much value can you get for the truth of any cause from the evidence that its advocates are willing to suffer or even die, to prove their faith in it?

(22.) Verses 30-32—What proof have we today that the Lord is God, fully as convincing as this miracle?

(23.) How much value do you place upon conversions produced by such wonders as were here displayed?

(24.) Verse 40—What evidence is there that the wholesale slaughter of four hundred and fifty men, by Eljah, was done at the command of God?

Lesson for Sunday, Feb. 19, 1911.
Eljah's Flight and Return. 1 Kings xviii:41-xix:21.

Chains that Habits Weave.

Epictetus said some good things about habits. He points out in his "Manual" that every single act is "a definite grain in the sand-mass which makes up our daily life; that each time we are angry or evil-minded, we are adding fuel to a fire, and virulence to the seeds of a disease."

Worries of Parents.

After a boy has had the scarlet fever, the chicken pox, the mumps, the measles, the whooping cough, and two or three diphtherias, his parents, as a rule, don't have anything else to worry about until he falls in love.—Somerville Journal.

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